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AGRICULTURAL PRICES RECEIVED

Prices Received - Mountain Region States and United States: April 2020 with Comparisons

State	April 2019	March 2020	April 2020
Barley, All	(dollars per bushel)	(dollars per bushel)	(dollars per bushel)
Colorado	4.66	4.94	5.28
Montana	4.67	4.66	3.95
Wyoming	(D)	(D)	(S)
United States	4.80	4.89	4.64
Corn			
Colorado	3.58	3.74	3.34
United States	3.53	3.68	3.29
Wheat, All			
Arizona	(D)	(S)	(D)
Colorado	4.08	4.28	4.48
Montana	5.10	5.01	4.80
United States	4.93	4.86	4.84
Hay, Alfalfa	(dollars per ton)	(dollars per ton)	(dollars per ton)
Arizona	220.00	200.00	195.00
Colorado	230.00	225.00	230.00
Montana	150.00	135.00	130.00
New Mexico	245.00	220.00	220.00
Utah	185.00	180.00	175.00
Wyoming	175.00	185.00	180.00
United States	198.00	175.00	181.00
Hay, Other			
Arizona	200.00	200.00	190.00
Colorado	220.00	225.00	225.00
Montana	135.00	135.00	130.00
New Mexico	165.00	190.00	190.00
Utah	150.00	130.00	125.00
Wyoming	145.00	145.00	150.00
United States	158.00	130.00	124.00
Milk, All	(dollars per hundredweight)	(dollars per hundredweight)	(dollars per hundredweight)
Arizona	16.90	17.10	13.90
Colorado	18.00	18.60	15.80
New Mexico	16.10	15.40	11.90
Utah	17.40	17.80	15.20
United States	17.70	18.00	14.40

⁽D) Withheld to avoid disclosing data for individual operations.

⁽S) Insufficient number of reports to establish an estimate.

UNITED STATES

April Prices Received Index Down 9.0 Percent

The April Prices Received Index 2011 Base (Agricultural Production), at 84.9, decreased 9.0 percent from March and 9.4 percent from April 2019. At 92.4, the Crop Production Index was up 4.2 percent from last month and 7.7 percent from the previous year. The Livestock Production Index, at 78.3, decreased 20 percent from March and 22 percent from April last year. Producers received lower prices during April for broilers, market eggs, milk, and corn but higher prices for oranges, grapefruit, rice, and hay. In addition to prices, the indexes are influenced by the volume change of commodities producers market. Increased monthly movement of strawberries, oranges, milk, and apples offset the decreased marketing of corn, cattle, soybeans, and hay.

April Prices Paid Index Down 1.1 Percent

The April Prices Paid Index for Commodities and Services, Interest, Taxes, and Farm Wage Rates (PPITW), at 108.7, is down 1.1 percent from March 2020 and 2.3 percent from April 2019. Lower prices in April for feeder cattle, feeder pigs, diesel, and feed grains more than offset higher prices for complete feeds, LP gas, concentrates, and supplements.

For the full copy of Agricultural Prices report please visit www.nass.usda.gov. For state specific questions please contact:

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